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DOINGS OF THE POLITICIANS.

A Lively Fight in the City of Alameda.

Secretary of State Brown Out Against Pardee and Davis.

Just at present the city of Alameda is causing the politicians much unrest, for there are two Republican candidates who want to control the delegation. They are Oscar Rogers, Chief of Police, who wants to be Sheriff, and J. B. Barber, who wants to succeed himself as County Tax Collector.

A year ago Rogers announced his candidacy and set about his campaign, and at that time there seemed to be a shade of doubt as to whether Barber, having had two terms, would say to secure a third. Rogers seemed to be going on swimmingly, till Barber commenced, laying his wires, and then it was at once seen that there would be a lively struggle for the delegation. A few days ago a "J. B. Barber" Republican Club was started, the first in the campaign, and Roger clubs are expected to follow. At present the friends of both men claim to be sure of hearing "Alameda, forty solid," for their favorite.

Warren B. English is after some county office, probably Sheriff or Treasurer.

In relation to the political situation the Sunday News of Sacramento prints the following:

"Secretary of State Brown is in deep earnest about his ambition to be Governor of California. While it is yet prematurely early to do any responsible figuring, the Secretary is active and hopeful, and is making calculations in which he has confidence. Brown hails from Oakland and is undaunted in face of the fact that Alameda county is split over the aspirations of two other of her favorite sons, George C. Pardee and W. R. Davis, who want to head the Republican ticket. The Secretary's prepared list indicates that he expects to capture half of Alameda's delegation of sixty-seven. That is not as remarkable as his indicated belief that Sacramento will give him a majority of its delegation of twenty-three. This calculation ignores Frank Rhoads, who is master of the local Republican political situation, and who is too outspoken in his opposition to Brown to be called down."

PITIFUL CASE OF DESTITUTION.

The Associated Charities of Berkeley are trying to assist in a most unfortunate case of destitution. An entire family of three, consisting of a mother, son and daughter, are confined to their home by illness and are in need of the necessaries of life.

The sufferers are without proper clothing and have not the means to pay for medicine during their illness. The case has been called to the attention of Professor E. B. Lamare, secretary of the Associated Charities, and he is endeavoring to give assistance.

The aid of the public is desired in helping the unfortunate family. Information may be secured at the Woman's Exchange, in the Shattuck block, where those wishing to help the needy ones may also leave such gifts as they desire forwarded to them.

Croly Recovering.

E. S. Croly, partner of the late Silas Carle, builder of the Dwight Way school house who was shot by burglars at his home in Sacramento Sunday night is recovering.

Graduate Club Picnic.

About fifty members of the Graduate Club enjoyed a picnic at Angel island yesterday.

Shoes at cost at 808 Delaware street.

VICTORY FOR THE ALUMNI.

Defeat the College Boys by a Close Score.

Bride, Baer and McCabe of the Varsity Eleven Make a Great Showing.

By far the best baseball game o the season was played on the campus yesterday at 2:30 between the Varsity and the Alumni, resulting in a score of 4 to 3 in favor of the latter. The playing on both sides throughout the game was excellent, errors being very few. The Varsity battery was a little weak that being the principal cause of defeat. Moin was unable to catch and Mott took his place. The excellent playing of Bride, Baer and McCabe for the Varsity was particularly noticeable.

One home run was made by Baer in the ninth inning. Three base hits were made by Allen of the Alumni, and Kaarsberg, Moskiman, the Alumni pitcher gave one base on balls, Kaarsberg having a clean record in this respect. Moskiman struck out three men, and Kaarsburg two. Messrs. Crowl and Moller umpired the game.

The line up was as follows:

Varsity		Alumni
Mott	c.	Elston
Kaarsberg	p.	Moskiman
Bride	1st base	Allen
McLaren	2nd base	Mertes
McCabe	s. s.	Wheeler
Baer	3rd base	McKee
Chesebrough	l. f.	Dunlevy
Collins	r. f.	Bliss
Hoag	c. f.	Reland

Farmers' Institute.

Alameda county farmers will meet in institute at Niles on Saterday, the 26th. The institute will be held at Ford's hall and there will be morning, afternoon and evening sessions. The institute will be conducted under the auspices of the State University and exceedingly interesting programmes have been arranged for the entertainment of delegates.

New Charter Proposed.

The Municipal League discussed the question of a new charter for Alameda at its last meeting. E. W. Maslin, had been appointed to lead the discussion in favor of the proposed charter and Colonel J. J. Tobin to present the arguments of the negative. At the close of the evening Mr. Maslin, Colonel Tobin, J. R. Sloan, B. G. Brown an Green Majors were appointed on a committee to give the subject further consideration. At present Alameda is in the fifth class, though its population would permit it to operate under a charter of the third class if reorganized.

A Suit Compromised.

Mrs. Fred Becker of 3024 Deakin street, South Berkeley has compromised her suit against the Oakland Consolidated street Railway company. Mrs. Becker was injured in the accident which was occasioned by one of the cars leaving the Shattuck avenue track on the Fourth of this month. She has received $325 and all expenses.

Professor Brown's Lecture.

Tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Mark Hopkin's Institute of Art, San Francisco, Professor Elmer E. Brown will deliver the first of a series of three university extension lectures on "State Universities and High Schools."

THE UNKNOWN OAKLAND MILLINERY STORE.

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PROVINCE OF THE FIREMAN.

He Is the Chief Benefactor of the Community.

What is Accomplished by the Manhood and Courage of the Volunteer Fire Laddies.

The following paper on Volunteer Fire Departments was to have been read by J. Delafield at the Columbia's house warming Tuesday evening, but Mr. Delafield was unable to be present:

The Volunteer Fire Departments is to the community what the standing army is to the nation, with the difference that the men composing the army are paid to perform in infrequent times of war only dangerous service, while at any time the full strength, manhood and courage of one or more of unpaid volunteer firemen may be the means of saving a town, or performing that crowning act of bravery, saving the lives of imperilled people at the imminent risk of losing their own.

In acting the part of a volunteer and faithfully performing the duties of his position, the fireman at once puts not only the community, which he is assisting to protect under obligation to him, but also the world at large; the community because he is a double means of saving it; the world at large, because the ramifications of invested capital in these days of modern action are so diverse that without the fire salvage of the volunteer, the loss in Berkeley, though perhaps not apparent, might still appreciably effect the sum total of the wealth of the world.

The salvage of the community I say is more than double; the merchant goes to sleep at night with a greater feeling of security, his nerves are at rest and his sleep refreshes him for his labor of the following day and both he and the lodger in the town, I mean the man who sleeps and eats one meal and sometimes two at his home, but at all other times is away at his desk in the larger neighboring city, know that their expenses are reduced on account of the banding together of a certain number of men under one head or chief, known as the Volunteer Fire Department.

Despite the fact that the principles of the fire insurance are well understood and need no defense at my hands nevertheless for a long time past there has been a growing feeling that the rates of insurance are a tax and burden to the members of a community and from those who do not take the trouble to look carefully into the matter arises a constant demand for reduction; a demand which is in every way unfair to the insurance company.

But when a community takes steps to better its own condition from its own standpoint by providing a sufficient supply of water, laying mains of a suitable size, enough hydrants, buying hose and carts and the paraphernalia of a fire company, electing a chief and finally forming the volunteer department, then the time has arrived when rates can be and are reduced, and the resident reaps the benefit. To every resident in the community a saving is then made in his fire insurance, upon which hangs a reduction of a dollar or two on the month's rent, and as a saving in the rental is a particularly important feature to the merchant; he is hereby enabled to better either by a cent or two in price, or a difference in quality each article of which the dweller is the buyer; by which I mean to show that everything purchasable is cheapened to the actual consumer.

(concluded tomorrow.)

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OFFERED PAY FOR SIGNATURES.

Money Expended on the Tax Reduction Petition.

Joseph Chappie Was Offered a Small Sum but Declined to Take It.

S. H. Dikeman, who was one of the originators of the petition to the Board of Trustees, asking that official salaries and taxes be reduced, denies that he paid any on to circulate the petition.

"I obtained a number of signatures," said Mr. Dikeman this morning, "and then I thoug it I would pass it on to some one else.

"I saw Joseph Chappe and offered him a dollar to circulate the document. He refused to take the money and I offered him two dollars. Still he refused to take the money. Nevertheless, he circulated the petition and secured several signatures.

"That is all I know about the matter. What Mr. Whiting may have done I do not know."

N. T. Whiting, who is said to have given Constable Wheeler $10 for the purpose of securing signatures to the petition, was not at home today when a reporter called.

Following are the signatures attached to the petition:

Stella Calhoun King, E. T. Hall, M Durenburger, I. Gorman, George Chalmers, George Stutt, Henry Valentine, Minnie Calhoun, Frank Uacy, F. M. Bettis, Elizabeth T. White, L. C. Williams, Theodore Grady, Mrs. Ida Lutgen, Emma T. Mason, P. S Glasford Mrs. C. C. Calhoun, H. Schiller, B. E. Underwood, E. H. Congdon, M. J. Powell, D. I. McMillan, F. D. Esmond, F. H. Lauton, John E. Boyd, John F. Kelly, Ellen Barrett, H. R. Lowenson, John Hart, Celia A. White, N. Maxfield, M. C. Sell, John Cormac, Angus McLellan, T. R. Gilbert, W. Van Hausen, J. M. McNamara, J. H. Whithaus, J. V. Lawrence, J. McKenna, C. L. Legal, H. L. Whitney, Thomas G. Graber, E. T. Turner, C. A. Briggs, V. K. Sherman, Mrs Donaughy, A. W. Nichols, Charles C. Judson, Mrs. Margaret Leonard, Mrs. M. J. Dunn, Richard Moore, Dr. Dunn, A. A. Fink, Letititia Leonard, J. Davis, C. Towunsend, R. W. Maloney, Mrs. C. M. Robinson, Ruth A. Armstrong, Carrie A. Sawyer, John Anderson, Mrs. George Hanna, John Irvine, Mrs. C. E. Atkinson, Mrs. M. J. McNamara, Mr. A. E Tyrrell, Mrs. R. Spaulding, Sara G. Harris, A. Engan, A. H. Frank, Frances Gart, P. G. Shaw, T. Happesberger, K. Heinneman, J. Tape, J. F. Harris, Charles E. Finney, John W. Wurts, W. Clephane, M. C. Wach, James Anderson, Mrs. J. McCulloch, Mrs. L. M. Hume, M. Fowden, Thomas Cremmile, James Burns, J. A. Brothers, Robert Spear, Charles Wach, Thomas Thompson, Frank Amiot, Rafael Demoro, Mrs. George Pidgeon, Mrs. C. M. Wilson, Mrs. H. Davidson, Mrs. E. Dougery, Mrs. Maggie R. Bailley, Mrs. Ward Brown, Mrs. H. Abernethy, William Armstrong, Mrs. H. Donaughey, E. D. Harmon, G. Alwyn, George W. Wright, John Wiemann, H. Robinson; H. Boekelmann, John U. Oberg, Charles Wiemann, Mrs S. L. Carley, Carsten Nammany, C. Higgins, Mrs. G. W. Galloup, Mrs. Frank Bambridge, O. B. Fushé, John Gebter, Hugh K. McJunken, W. A. Young, Ar Morgan, William Strucker, J. S. Young, James Bell, William Sheldon, C. R. Lord, I. I. Peterson, Carter, Mary A Townsend, J. S. Baum, John Cooke, J. N. Jacobsen, Philip Morrow, M. A. Peterson, P. S. Simpson, Charles S. Perry, K. A. White, H. S. Peterson J. Schunhoff, Helen A. Chase, D. H. Bruns, Robert Lyman, Mrs. Sarah Tynes, D H. Frye, A. H. Broad, J. P. Poirun, Charles L. Taber, J. A. Marshall, H. Ratfineh, Mrs. A. M Snyder, F. Neven, A. J. Snyder, Mrs. Edna B. Snyder, O. C. Mc-

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LAUHLE CASE NOT ENDED.

State Medical Society May Take the Matter Up.

Physicians Express Themselves to the Effect That Midwifery Should Be Restricted.

Although the Lauhle baby sleeps in its little grave, there is every reason to believe that it has not died in vain—that the effects of its demise will be far reaching.

It is expected that the next meeting of the State Medical Society, action will be taken toward asking the Legislature to pass a bill restricting the partice of midwifery to responsible and qualified persons, as is the case in New York State.

The local physicians who were interested in the case believe that such a law should be passed.

Says Dr. Fastman: "I am in favor of the adoption of some means to protect the lives of helples infants when they come into the world. As for the double inquest I cannot say that I am satisfied with it. I believe the grand jury should take the matter up."

Dr. Payne coincides with his brother practitioner. "It seems to be the impression," said he, "that any woman is entitled to officiate as midwife. In fact there are many people who never call in a physician, with the result that our graveyards are filled with the bodies of infants.'

Health Officer Rowell, through whose vigilance the investigation was made, feels very strongly on the subject. Said he: "It is our duty as physicians to look after the physical well-being of the community. I am strongly in favor of restricting the practice of midwifery. There are too many ignorant old women whose usefulness as housewives has passed, practicing or rather attempting to practice the business. I hope to see the State Medical Society take the matter up."

PRIMARY LAW KNOCKED OUT.

The Stratton Primary Election Law was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court of California this morning.

The law was declared unconstitutional in all points.

The decision was handed down bg Justice Gaiautte and was concurred in by all the members of the Court with the exception of Justice Beattie, who is out of town.

SPIRITUALISM EXPOSED.

The Coonleys, the great illusionists and exposers of spiritualism, give a performance in Shattuck hall, March 24th. These clever people give a first class performance in every respect and are up to date exposers who expose all tricks. Methods and devices of socalled mediums are shown and explained.

The Oakland Enquirer says:—"The Coonleys gave an exposo of spiritualism last night in Chapman Opera House. Their method of working is exceedingly clever and the audience was frequently taken completely by surprise." Admission 15c and 25c.

If you want steel heel protectors put on yours buy your shoes at 809 Delaware street.

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At E. H Drigg's twenty cases of agateware direct from New York which he is selling at bedrock prices. See his two and three burner circular wick oil cook stoves at $3 25 and $4 50. His prices are 20 per cent less than city because he buys direct from the factory.

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A $2 Lamp With Every
$5 purchase. See them at the old store of H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

A Loss of Two Thousand Dollars is Sustained.

Had There Been Water Peter Corrigan's Home Might Have Been Saved.

The five room cottage on Grove street, between Oregon and Derby streets, belonging to Peter Corrigan was burned to the ground early this morning.

About 9:30 o'clock last night Mr. Corrigan started a fire in the kitchen stove and cooked a light repast. Shortly after which he retired.

About two o'clock in the morning Mrs. Corrigan was awakened by a crackling sound. She awoke her husband, who started to investigate. Mr Corrigan found the apartment in flames.

An alarm was at once turned in. The Peralta fire boys were quickly on the scene, followed by the Alerts and the Columbias. The flames had made too much progress however and could not be stayed.

However, if the water facilities had been better something might have been done. As it is the nearest hydrant to the house is almost half a mile distant.

The house was built eighteen months ago.

The loss is estimated at $2000. partly covered by insurance.

ROBERT SMILEY'S PARTNER DIES.

John McGilvery, a ship carpenter, living at 1515 Fifth street, West Oakland, dropped dead at the Southern Pacific roundhouse yesterday afternoon. He had been sick for three weeks and went to the railroad office to draw back pay, but died before reaching it.

McGilvery leaves a wife and daughter. He was formerly associated in business with the late Robert Smiley of Berkeley. He was 48 years old and a native of Nova Scotia. Death was due to heart disease, it is believed, as he had been under medical treatment for that ailment.

New Double Track.

Easton & Wilson have commenced the work of grading for the new double track bed which the railroad company will build from Fairview street Lorin, to within 300 feet of Channing way.

A BLOSSOM FESTIVAL.

The coming art exhibit of the ceramic section of the Ebell Society of Oakland to be given on the afternoon and evening of Saturday, April 2d, is to be called a "Festival of Blossoms." In reality the exhibit is one of Japanese ware and the name of the Festival has its origin in the Japanese custom of holding gala demonstrations in April of each year to celebrate the arrival of spring, when the trees and flowers are in bloom.

Money to Loan
Up to $1000 to loan on Berkeley property; no commission. Wm. Clark, 102 Telegraph avenue, Oakland.

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A BERKELEYAN'S ADVENTURE.

G. W. Nickell in the Thick of Bullets and Dynamite.

Had Charge of the Los Angeles Mail Car, Which Was Held Up by Robbers.

G. W. Nickell, of 2215 Blake street, Berkeley, was in charge of the mail car of the Los Angeles express which was held up last Tuesday night by train robbers.

Nickell says that after the train stopped, he heard the fireman calling outside the car.

"He called to me not to shoot as he was the fireman, but to open the door. I felt that all was over, so opened the door, but was greatly surprised to find myself facing a brace of revolvers. The robber told me to light up, but I replied I had no matches. He gave me some and I lit the gas. With that he sprang into the car, and taking the through registered mail pouch disappeared in the darkness.

"It was about twenty minutes from the time I heard the men talking in front of my car until they came to my car. The explosion blew the roof off the express car and the sides and ends out. The engineer and fireman were made to enter the car and place the dynamite. The engineer then lit it but it did not go off, so he was made to return and light it the second time. The messenger found about $400 in coin in the debris after the robbers had left. It was blown out in the explosion."

STANDING COMMITTEES OF ENDEAVORERS.

The following new standing committees of, Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union have been appointed:

Lookout—R. B. Gaylord, Earl Swan, Ira Sanford, Ed McDermed, Miss Emma Simpson.

Missionary—Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Edna Kenard, Miss Grace Wythe, Miss Belle Gorrette, E. C. Lyon.

Press—Miss Dell Jewell, Dr. W R. Hughes, Miss Lucy Ellis.

Finance—W. A. Gardiner, F. A. Webster, H. F. Kellogg.

Sabbath Observance—George H. White, George P. Lowell, W. N. Friend, B. L. Spence, S. A. Willard.

Good Literature—George P. Lowell. George H. White, B. L. Spence, S. A. Willard, W. N. Friend.

Good Citizenship—George P. Lowell, B. L. Spense, George H. White, W. N. Friend, S. A. Willard.

Floating Work—Edward Taylor, J. C. Hill, George Burbeck, F. S. Page and one to be selected.

Damaged by Frost.

The Contra Costa papers say that the heavy frost of the past few days has done great injury to the orchards in the interior of the county. Excepting the hill-side orchards the damage has been general and very severe, although its extent cannot yet be ascertained. The apricot and almond crop, however, will be the principal sufferers.

Home Missionaries.

The annual meeting of the Oakland Presbyterial Home Missionary Society will be held tomorrow in the First Presbyterian Church of Berkeley. The meeting will be called to order at ten o'clock in the morning.

Broke Her Wrist.

Mrs. Christian Frick of 2123 Stanford place, broke her right wrist by falling from a box this morning.

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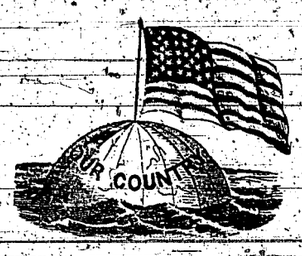

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A CHANGE NECESSARY.

Many strangers who attended the Charter Day exercises at the University yesterday manifested their disapproval of the fact that comparatively few students were present. One old gentleman expressed himself of the opinion that the absent students "deserved to be kicked."

For years past there has been a noticeable falling off in the attendance at these exercises. In fact things have come to such a pass that the audiences are composed largely of strangers, and the members of the faculty. The former attend largely to satisfy their curiousity as to what the University is doing to develop the youth of the State; the professors are present largely from a sense of duty.

Invariably the exercises are of the cut and dried order. Some distinguished stranger will deliver a ponderous address on the relation of the University to the commonwealth or some such topic. Then there will be music followed probably by an oration from some aspiring student on the concentration of wealth in the United States. Now if there were anything new in these addresses, if th auditors were told something they did ot know before—had not been told a thousand times, there might be some excuse for their infliction. As it is there does not seem to be any, and the youth of the land ever prone to enjoy itself in a rational way, declines to attend the exercises.

In fact there is every reaso to believe that unless the character of the celebration is changed, the students will soon abandon the event to outsiders, and the occasion will soon die through i anition.

THE FUNNIEST, YET.

Of all the funny things which those star humorists, the members of the consolidation committee of the Oakland Board of Trade have perpetrated, the report which they presented Tuesday evening is the funniest. For instance, in one part of the report they say:

"Your committee can report that nine out of ten of the property owners consulted favor consolidation, and we are approached on every side with such remarks as 'Keep it up,' and 'We wish success to the movement,' not only by Oaklanp people, but also from Berkeley, Alameda and Piedmont people.

"What the people cannot understand is, where there is such a unity of opinion in favor of a consolidated city and county government, why there cannot be a law enacted by our next Legislature to give them a chance to vote on it."

Whereas, in other part they contradict themselves utterly, as follows:

"If Berkeley and Alameda are not yet ready to form a consolidated city and county government, which in the near future must come, let them continue in their parrot imitation until they tire, and instead of us asking them to join us, let them ask us to join them."

As the eminent statesman remarked at the last meeting of the Legislature: "Consistency! where is thy jewelry?"

MERELY A SUGGSTION.

Berkeley has no fire department.—Oakland Enquirer.

This from a paper which is noted for its love of Fair play and truth telling proclivities is somewhat surprising. We know the Enquirer would not wilfully do an injustice, and confidently expect that due reparation will be made; otherwise a certain gentleman with political ambitions may get himself disliked by a couple of hundred citizens of Berkeley who belong to the fire department.

DOING ITS BEST.

It is quite true there are some Oakland politicians at whom the finger of scorn is not pointed just at present. The greatly overworked finger cannot be expected to point in all directions but it is making a laudable effort.

THE OTHER SIDE.

It may be true that the prices of provisions in the Klondike are falling but as wages are falling too, the cheapening does not seem to be of general benefit.

Somnolential.

"Are you taking much interest in the Spanish-Cuban war?" inquired the European statesman.

"I should say I am!" replied the capitalist; "compound interest."

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "a man is like de bottom-number ob a fraction. De bigger he tries ter be, de smaller what he stands foh really is."

'Tis hard to decide if the promises great
Spain offers with little abatement
Are sent by that country's department of state,
Or by its department of statement.

"What a beautiful specimen of inlaying!" exclaimed the guest.

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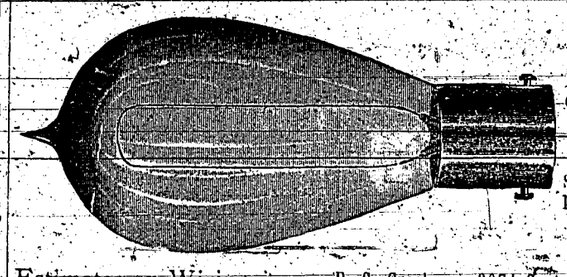

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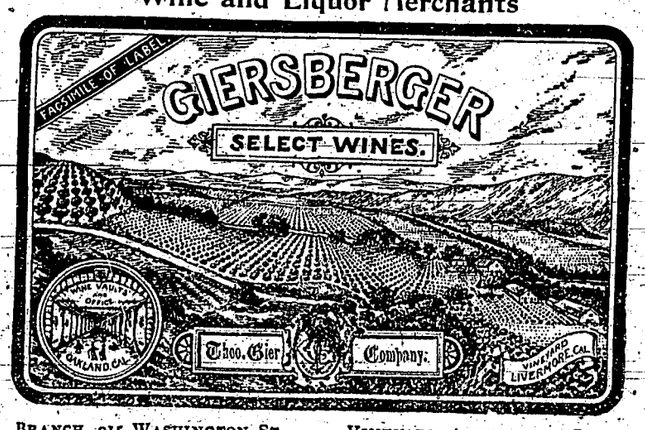

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On the first expedition to Fort Fisher a captured blockade-runner called the Ella Knight was used as a government transport. The cargo of this vessel was Light Battery E, Third United States artillery, and the Sixteenth New York Independent Light battery. About 100 horses, 12 fieldpieces, 12 caissons and 12 limber chests made a valuable cargo. The sailing master's name was Ad[ams], but as we sailed under sealed orders, to be opened off Cape Henry lighthouse, the ranking military officer aboard, who held those orders, became ranking or commanding officer of the ship. This officer was First Lieutenant J. R. Myrick of Light Battery E, Third United States artillery.

Adams, a Baltimore man having some influence, was appointed sailing master in the United States transport fleet. He was a genuine Confederate at heart and had in his mind a way to help the Confederacy, which was to await his opportunity and run the first good cargo in his charge into the Confederates' hands.

As a signal the flagship fired a gun over the waters of Hampton Roads, and the transport fleet of the first expedition, without outside lights, sailed out into the darkness of night—into the broad Atlantic.

The Ella Knight was not the last to reach Cape Henry lighthouse, but when she did the sealed orders were opened and Adams was advised of the ship's destination—Fort Fisher.

Soon after turning southward from Cape Henry the wind began to blow strongly from the south. The sea became extremely rough, the decks were wet and slippery and the horses' stalls gave way. The horses began to slide back and forth on deck, so heavy were the lunges and rolls of the ship. At the same time the guns began to roll on the upper deck. Ropes were procured and the guns lashed through the wheels to prevent rolling on deck and knocking a hole through the transport's sides. Then ropes were stretched lengthwise and through the center of the deck, and several times crosswise to help support the horses, but many were killed and many disabled.

Some time past midnight Adams quietly turned the ship to the north and scudded with the wind. Then at the end of a few hours he turned the ship south again. His orders were to keep within sight of the transport fleet, but when daylight came no transport fleet was in sight. He gave as his excuse that the ship's engines were weak and that he could not make the speed required of him. We knew that the Ella Knight was a fast ship, and from that time on we knew that Adams was a man who would stand watching.

By the middle of the day the storm had passed over and Adams took a reckoning off Cape Hatteras, North Carolina. Then we continued our journey without much of interest until nearly daylight the next morning.

All was quiet aboard the transport. As she rode through the darkness there was a report of a cannon, and the next instant a shell burst over the deck of the Ella Knight. From the short interval between the report of the gun and the shell's explosion the battery officers knew that we must be near the shore. Besides, the sound of the breakers from the heavy ocean swells could be heard lashing the sandy beach.

Each commissioned officer quickly reached for his side arms, and they were soon on deck. J. R. Myrick (now major Fifth United States artillery) was the first to reach the pilothouse. Adams was at the wheel.

Myrick asked him, "Where are we?" Adams replied, "I reckon we are pretty nigh Fort Fisher—that was the orders, wasn't it?"

Quick as a flash Myrick's revolver swung under Adams' ear, and he ordered him to turn to sea. Adams turned deathly white as he remarked:

"We are in the inside channel. If we turn to sea, we will have to ride the reef. If we ride it, we will be caught by the pirates outside of it," meaning the Union fleet. But at the same time he gave several fast turns to the wheel, and the transport swung half way round and headed for the reef. As we gained it there was a roaring and hissing sound and the waves shone with phosphorescent light. Soon we were in the line of sissing, glowing waves. One sudden bump of the vessel, and she had crossed the reef unhurt and was sailing in the old Atlantic.

Soon we saw the dim outline of a swift steamer approaching us from the larboard side. A challenge came through a trumpet:

"Lay to, or we'll send a shot through you!"

Adams rang the engine bell. The ship soon lost its headway and swung idly in the seas. A few moments later a Union ensign appeared on deck. After learning the name and character of our ship he informed Adams that he had been under the guns of Half Moon battery, one and a half miles above Fort Fisher. Then he continued:

"I am Ensign —— of dispatch boat No. 2 of the blockading fleet. The balance of the transport fleet is 20 miles due east at sea."

Again our engines were started, and in a short time daylight began to creep over the ocean and we could see the transport fleet steaming toward land.

Nothing was done with Adams, but I have always believed he intended to beach the Ella Knight under the guns of Fort Fisher.—Eugene Scott in New York Commercial Advertiser.

THE QUICK HORSE.

An Outgrowth of Improved American Methods of Fire Fighting.

In St. Nicholas there is an article on "The Quick Horse," by F. S. Dellenbaugh, devoted to the horses of the modern fire department. Mr. Dellenbaugh says: It is only within recent years that quick horses have been developed and appreciated and admired, and the poet has not yet attempted to sing the praises of this more prosaic but noble animal. Yet, after all, to one who carefully examines the matter the quick horse appears to have quite as good, if not a better, claim upon our sympathy and sympathy and encouragement. The swift horse wins the race, and in these days he may cause considerable money to change hands, in which the [...] ly nothing else is commendable. [...] the quick horse I write about saves [...], saves property and under modern conditions of life is essential to our safety and general well being. He is the result indirectly of poor building—an outgrowth of our skillful American fire departments, which could not now exist without him.

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The fire—that was altogether a secondary matter, and when they all finally got there they went to work with more or less efficiency. There was a great deal of fun in the business, but fires were not extinguished. Our cities in the early days were not built to prevent fires, but seemed, if anything, rather built to encourage them.

In France we may well be amused as we watch the pompier corps trundle its bathtub on wheels to the scene of the conflagration and deliberately fill its apartments with water dipped up from the gutter, whence it is thrown by a little pump upon the flames, because we know much of the architecture there is solid, and if the fire is not extinguished it will soon burn itself out. But in our country a mere spark may in a few seconds become a devouring furnace and destroy house after house and block after block. Many buildings are tinder boxes, and our dry climate adds to their inflammability, while the ever present careless or lazy workman by improper construction gives the fire its first opportunity.

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"O Lawd, we know dat we is weak in dy sight an hab been follerin after things which saber uv de debil, but, O Lawd, we know dat dow in dy richness of mercy gwine tuw swipe hit offen de big book an say, 'Yo' count is squah.' Huccome we hain' been doin right ez durin de las' month, ner de las' week, ner do las' day, but, O Lawd, please swipe hit offen de big book—yeah, swipe hit off. When de pale hoss an de white rider cum ridin down from de valley uv de shadder uv death, do pale rider gwine swing his lef' laig outen de stirrup, cotch us by de shurt, jerk us behin him an b'ar us 'way to de blazin sun, an when we put our foot upon de san's uv de sho' fotch de boat up close to de bank, an ez we gits in de seat den waf' us an row us away to de glory lan. Amen."

"How did dat pra'r go, Ike?" said he as he went home.

"Pap, dar wern't but one 'jection, 'specially your gestures. When you talked 'bout de pale rider swingin his lef' laig out'n de stirrup, you kicked Sister Brown right in de side."—Louisville Dispatch.

The Matter of Whiskers.

Jules Ferry's whiskers were often an index to his state of feeling. I saw him on the day he escaped from the commune of Paris to Versailles. He related his adventures at the Hotel des Reservoirs to friends who gathered round him. The whiskers, which habitually stood well out like those of his enemies said) of a garcon de cafe, were limp and lay flat to the cheeks.

The most leonine whiskers I ever saw were Skobeleff's. They were of immense length when he drew them out, as was his wont, but when let alone seemed only half as long. I dare say they had their lank days, but not so far as I know. The term "whiskerando" (now well nigh obsolete) had more meaning than those who used it thought.—London Truth.

What to Say.

A member of the house went to Speaker Reed one day and said that he had been selected by his delegation to deliver a eulogy on a deceased member. "I did not know the member very well," remarked the congressman, "and so I thought I would ask you what I should say."

"Well," said Mr. Reed, with his inimitable drawl, "say anything except the truth."—Washington Post.

Another Nuisance.

It was the first time he was being married, and he was naturally a little nervous and upset, but he managed to say "Yes" all right and to keep time to Mendelssohn, sailing down the aisle, and to sign his name in the register without making more than a dozen blots.

He thought then that it was finished, but when they got to the church door they found it was raining.

"Confound it!" he cried, putting up his umbrella. "Another nuisance now!"

And then, though he cannot guess why, the people around all laughed, and his mother-in-law bridled and his wife refused to speak.—Pick Me Up.

The Effect of Environment.

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Claudine Wilson (formerly Claudine Zehle) and George A. Wilson, plaintiffs,

vs.

Theodore Wagner, as administrator of the estate of Ellen Boyle, deceased, and Timothy Boyle, Frances Hall and Etta Smyth, defendants.

Whereas, a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale, to me directed, was issued out of said Superior Court of said county of Alameda and State of California on the 4th day of March, A. D., 1898, in favor of Claudine Wilson, formerly Claudine Zehle, and George A. Wilson, plaintiffs, and against Theodore Wagner, as administrator of the estate of Ellen Boyle, deceased, and Timothy Boyle, Frances Hall and Etta Smyth, defendants, for the sum of six hundred and twenty dollars and for costs of suit, taxed at $16 70, amounting in the aggregate to six hundred and thirty-six dollars and seventy cents, with interest thereon from the date of said judgment at the rate of seven per cent per annum and for accruing costs, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book 31 of said court at page 153.

And whereas, I am commanded by said decree of foreclosure and order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises therein described to satisfy said judgment and the costs of said action, notice is hereby given that, on SATURDAY, the 2d day of April, A. D., 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the Broadway street entrance to the Courthouse of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland in said county, in obedience to the commands of said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, I will sell the said mortgaged premises, described in said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, as follows, to wit:

That certain piece and parcel of land situate in the town of Berkeley, in the county of Alameda and State of California, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Fifth street, distant thereon one hundred and forty-seven (147) feet northerly from the northerly line of Allston street, running thence northerly along said line of Fifth street ninety-four (94) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet; thence at right angles southerly ninety-four (94) feet; and thence at right angles westerly one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet to the point of commencement, being lots numbered twenty and twenty-one (20 and 21), in block (106) one hundred and six, as the same are laid down and delineated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Sisterna Tract, Berkeley," filed May 15, 1880, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Or I will sell so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs. Said sale will be made at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States.

Dated at Berkeley, Cal., March 10, A. D., 1898.

GEORGE J. WAGNER,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Thos. F. Graber, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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Presbyterian [First]—Corner Allston way and Ellsworth street. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m. C. E. prayer meeting, 6:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45 p. m.

Congregational [First]—Corner Durant avenue and Dana street. Rev. George B. Hatch, pastor. Sunday school at 12:30 p. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Y. P. C. E. at 8:00 p. m.; church prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Congregational [North Berkeley]—Rev. J. A. Cruzan, pastor. Sunday morning service at 7:30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 4 o'clock; Senior S. C. E. at 6:30. Bible study and prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

Episcopal [St. Mark's]—Bancroft way between Ellsworth and Dana streets. Rev. George E. Swan, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 o'clock except first Sunday of the month then at 11 o'clock; Morning Prayer and sermon at 11; Evening Prayer and sermon at 7:30; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Unitarian—Stiles Hall, corner Dana street and Allston way.

Church of the Nazarene—Weiner Block, Shattuck avenue, near Center street, Berkeley station. E. D. Girvin, pastor. Church services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening service preceded by street meeting at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Holiness meeting Friday evening at 7:45. Both services preceded by street meeting.

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Methodist—Seventh street near University avenue. Rev. A. M. Bailey, pastor. Services every Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Class meeting 6:30 p. m.; Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Epworth League Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30.

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Presbyterian—Regular Sunday services in South Berkeley Hall, Ashby aven. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45. A. MacMurtry, pastor.

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LORIN.

Episcopal—Corner Calais and Harmon streets. Rev. T. L. Randolph, missionary. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Holy Communion, third Sunday in month.

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Order of Chosen Friends—Berkeley Council No. 72. Meets first and third Friday evening in each month at Taylor's Hall.

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Woodmen of the World—Peralta Camp No. 123. Meets first and third Tuesday evening of each month at American Hall.

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First Monday of March, 1898,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person.

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County,
Oakland, California.

Adjudication of Insolvency, Stay of Proceedings and Order of Publication of Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of William Rutledge, insolvent debtor.

William Rutledge having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said William Rutledge is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 4th day of March 1898, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 1, in the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 4th day of March 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that this order be published in THE BERKELEY GAZETTE a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that in the meantime all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

S. P. HALL, Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated February 23rd, 1898.

(Endorsed:) Filed February 23, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk
By J. CAL. EWING, Deputy Clerk